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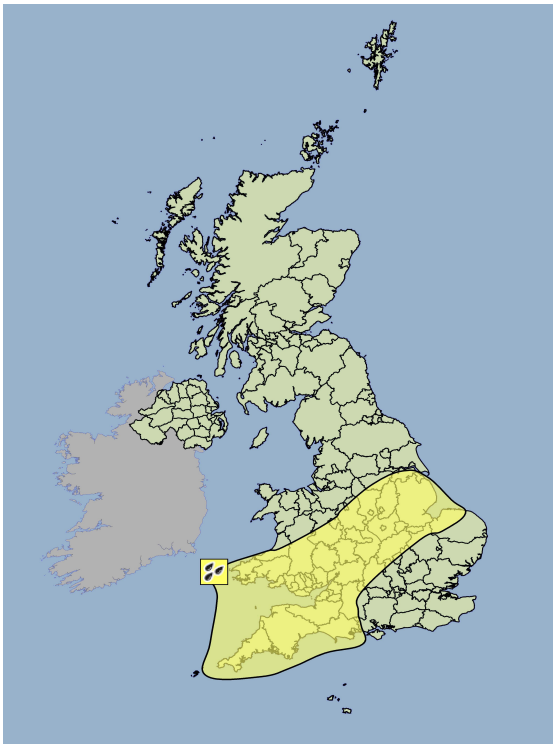

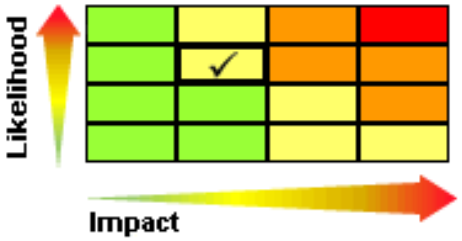

Chief Forecasters Assessment
The active frontal zone that brought last night's heavy rain will soon clear the far west of the region and has left much of southern Britain in a deeply unstable airmass. With daytime heating, this will bring scattered showers and thunderstorms giving some localised downpours today. Rainfall totals of more than 30 mm are likely in places within 3 hours, with a risk of 15 mm falling in less than an hour locally. However as is usual in this type of situation, considerable local variations in rainfall are likely with some places missing the worst.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **11:15 on Thu, 22nd May 2014** until **23:55 on Thu, 22nd May 2014**

Scattered locally heavy showers, with the risk of some slow-moving thundery downpours, are likely this afternoon into this evening. Although the heavy showers should slowly die out this evening they may well continue in parts of southwest England into Thursday night.

The public should be aware of the risk of localised flooding.

This warning has been updated to remove the warning from southeastern areas where showers are less likely to have any impacts.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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